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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In the Application of: Mark T. Cranna  Darriel Miller	)	Group Art Unit: 3724
Serial No.: 09/695,951	)	
Filing Date: October 25, 2000	)	Examiner: Clark F. Dexter
	)	
For: Wood Cutting Band Saw Blade	)	

Dated at Hartford, Connecticut, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February 2004.

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## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1)

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time in which to submit

Applicant's Appeal Brief subsequent to the Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the

Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences submitted on November 3, 2003, thereby extending the period for response from January 3, 2004 to February 3, 2004.

Authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1402 the \$110.00 fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a). No additional fee is believed to be required; however, if an additional fee is required, or otherwise if necessary to cover any deficiency in fees already paid, authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1402. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Dated: February 3, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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